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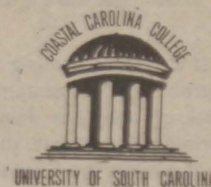
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Coastal Carolina College Posts Record Enrollment

Coastal Carolina College has recorded the highest summer school enrollment in the 29-year history of the college, according to new figures released this week by the college admissions department. Total student enrollment for the three sessions of summer school this summer was recorded at 1,598, which is a five percent increase from the 1982 summer school enrollment of 1,518 students. College officials note that the 1983 summer school enrollment is even more dramatic when compared to the 1980 figures, showing summer school enrollment increase of more than 25 percent in three years.

"In an era when many college and universities are struggling with static and declining enrollments, Coastal Carolina College continues to record significant enrollment increases each year," observ-

es Dr. Fred W. Hicks, Chancellor of Coastal Carolina College. "This is an important measure of Coastal Carolina's credibility as an institution of higher education. The college is providing a quality educational product in a geographical region which attracts many people. That combination, plus a competent faculty and the many benefits of a small college, is appealing to students. The quality of education at Coastal Carolina College, our location and our affiliation with the University of South Carolina also attracts many transient students who come to the Grand Strand to attend summer school while working in many of the summer jobs available in our region. Many of them are so pleased with what they find at Coastal Carolina that they decide to stay here and we're pleased with that."

Students Suffer Sticker Shock

by ANN SANDERS
News Editor

Fall semester, students at Coastal Carolina have expressed shock over a five dollar increase in parking fees instigated this year by the school. Yet according to Chancellor Fred Hicks and Will Garland the increase was necessary to the university.

Garland who is the Associate Chancellor of Fiscal Affairs believes the increase was a must and Garland also believes that students should look at the issues which surround the decision. "Students need to understand that we just want to solve a problem," Garland said. "The budget did not have adequate funds to make up a parking program. We had to generate the funds to keep up the existing parking areas, create new parking areas, new sidewalks and street lights."

Garland also believes students need to assess the cost of creating the much needed parking spaces. "We are planning two new parking areas out near the Student Center and Science building and we hope that they will be ready in the Spring. However, these areas will not be paved," Garland said.

Garland also noted that Coastal's parking fees are at the same rate or below any of the other Carolina-branch

campuses. "USC-Aiken charges their students ten dollars to park. USC-Spartanburg charges fifteen dollars for parking privileges. So you can see we are not being unreasonable," Garland noted. Adding, "Also if I'm not mistaken we are the only campus that charges its professors for the right to park."

Indeed, students were not the only ones surprised over the "new" parking fee. Faculty members at USC-Coastal also found themselves at the paying end this year. The decision to include the faculty in the pay parking arena came from Chancellor Fred Hicks who was bound to make the new increase fair. "It's true that students are paying a ten dollar fee," Chancellor Hicks said. "And it's true that everyone else is also paying for one. I believe if we require the students to pay for a parking fee I should also attempt to keep Coastal parking ahead of student growth. The main purpose of this whole matter is to keep ahead of the game, to see that enrollment doesn't overlap the available parking. We have to move ahead."

Although the recent five dollar increase was not well received, it appears the administration felt it to be necessary to move on the part of Coastal Carolina.

Applications Taken for Intern Program

Applications are being accepted now for the legislative intern program sponsored each spring by the University of South Carolina Bureau of Governmental Research and Service.

The interns function as research assistants with the professional staff of the S.C. General Assembly. They typically are assigned to research offices or committee staffs of the Senate or House of Representatives, to the Office of the lieutenant governor or to the Legislative Council.

The program is open to all USC system students who are seniors with a minimum overall grade point average of 3.0 or graduate students admitted to a formal degree program as degree candidates in

good standing

Part-time internships of 20 hours per week are available and will run from January to April 1984. Stipends are \$400 a month and all interns enroll in a public affairs internship course for three hours credit. Course requirements include a short paper and participation in workshop sessions to discuss selected readings and evaluate the internship.

All applications must be received by the bureau by Nov. 15. Applications are available in the bureau office, 406 Gambrell Hall, or writing: Legislative Intern Program, Bureau of Governmental Research and Service, USC, Columbia, S.C. 29208. Call 777-8156 for more information.



Chancellor Welcomes Students

Welcome to the 1983-84 academic year at USC-Coastal Carolina College. You are a student at one of the most progressive institutions in the Southeast. Less than 30 years ago, Coastal Carolina College was founded as a junior college with 53 students, a handful of part-time instructors and no campus to call its own. Today, Coastal Carolina College is a fully accredited, four-year campus of the University of South Carolina with approximately 3,000 students and 115 full-time professors. In an era of static enrollment and reduced development in the nation's colleges and universities, Coastal Carolina College continues to develop at a remarkable rate. I believe Coastal will continue to grow and improve—both in campus development

and in academic quality.

As a student at Coastal Carolina College, you should actively seek all the benefits available through the college. When you graduate, you will enter a competitive, demanding society. What you accomplish in your time at Coastal Carolina College can really determine much of your future. I urge you to approach your educational opportunity with determination and discipline. So too is every member of this college administration and faculty here to help you achieve your educational goals.

As you assume the responsibilities of this academic year with imagination and maturity, I urge you to make the fullest use of your talents—and have some fun, too! What happens to you here at Coastal Carolina College can change your life.

Do You Wish to Limit Directory Information?

Mr. Marsh Myers, Registrar, reminds students that the following information may be released without written permission from you unless you specifically request that the information be withheld. Name, address, telephone, school in which registered, current or non-current enrollment status, dates of attendance, dates of graduation, whether graduated or not from USC, degree and

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Normally, we do not release student listings externally, however, if you do not wish the above directory information to be released about you for external use, go to the Records Office and sign a privacy indicator from with Mrs. Linda Carmichael.

Letter to Editor

Dear Editor,

I find the parking at Coastal Carolina an increasingly gross problem. The absence of spaces and clutter of cars are vastly apparent. The administration feels that their small attempt of paving the Student Center road and sprinkling it with "parking spaces" is the answer to the problem. How about overflow lots, they are a good place to test your shocks or junk a car.

Seriously, these changes were a slight relief last spring, but there's a thousand more students. With new numbers comes more cars and less parking spaces. Why doesn't the administration open their eyes to the problem parked outside their window in their parking lots? I am sick of seeing, hearing and worst of all experiencing the plight of the parking. What do you think? What can be done? And what is going to be done?

Thank you,
WSFID
(Won't Stand For It Davis)

College Announces Personnel Changes

The Director of Public Relations at USC-Coastal Carolina College has resigned his position to enter private business and three key administrators have assumed new duties. The administrative changes were announced by Dr. Fred W. Hicks, Chancellor of the College.

Rod Gragg, the Director of Public Relations at Coastal Carolina College since 1978, will be leaving the college Nov. 30 to establish a full-service public relations agency, Palmetto Public Relations, Inc., at Myrtle Beach. Chancellor Hicks says a national search is now underway to fill the position of Public Relations Director at the college.

"Rod Gragg has provided an important service for the college and the community in his five years as Director of Public Relations here," says Hicks. "Rod was the first full time public relations officer at the college and he established the public relations program which is

currently serves the college. He is a seasoned professional. We hate to see him leave us full time, but he will continue to serve the college as a consultant."

A former television journalist with WBTV, the CBS-TV affiliate in Charlotte, N.C., Gragg holds a Master's degree and a Bachelor's degree from the University of South Carolina. He was raised in Horry County and before coming to Coastal Carolina College he served as Director of Public Information at Montreat-Anderson College and as anchorman and news director at WWAY-TV in Wilmington.

Mrs. Mildred Allen, formerly Administrative Assistant to the Chancellor and Personnel Officer at Coastal Carolina College, has assumed new duties in the Office of College Advancement, where she will be responsible for special projects, development liaison, and fund-raising projects. A native of Horry County, Mrs. Allen has served as an administrator at Coastal Carolina College since 1960. She holds a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration and an Associate degree in Office Administration from the University of South Carolina. She is also an alumnus of Winthrop College and has conducted graduate work in Office Administration at USC.

Hicks says a search will be instituted for candidates for the position of Executive to Assistant to the Chancellor.

Robert Elvington, the Director of Wheelwright Auditorium, has been appointed Director of Campus Facilities, Hicks announced. Elvington was the first director of the new, \$3-million Wheelwright Auditorium at the college. Prior to holding that position, he was the Manager of the Bookstore and Campus Shop at the school. In his new position, he will continue to be responsible for the supervision of Wheelwright Auditorium

and will also be responsible for the scheduling and maintenance of all other campus buildings and grounds at the 3,000-student college.

"Based on performance as Director of Wheelwright Auditorium, Robert Elvington has been selected as the proper administrator to assume these important responsibilities," says Hicks. "Coastal Carolina College is developing at a phenomenal rate. It is vitally important that we continue to properly supervise and maintain the campus physical plant as this growth occurs."

In a fourth personnel announcement, the Chancellor reported the appointment of Philip Massey as Director of Campus Planning. Massey has been employed at the college since 1976 and most recently was serving as Deputy Director of Physical Plant. In his new position, he will be responsible for supervision of all new construction projects at the institution.

"We expect to see an ambitious construction schedule develop here at Coastal Carolina College in the immediate future," Hicks says. "Coordinating the various project details and supervising construction development will require professionalism and experience. As Deputy Director of Physical Plant, Philip Massey has demonstrated the ability to handle such duties and I am pleased to announce his appointment to this important post."

Massey holds a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Erskine College. He is a native of Horry County and prior to assuming a position with Coastal Carolina College, he was employed with Pearce, Young, Angel Company and Massey and Company, Inc.

Hicks says the new administrative assignments at the college will take effect immediately.

No Appreciation Shown for Campus Union

by BUGS HILL
Features Editor

Why did Campus Union waste its good money for a band that no one appreciated? Don't get me wrong, the music was outstanding, it was the poor quality of student taste that turned the dance into a free-for-all at the bar. Why do we plan a Welcome Back Dance where everyone attends but hardly anyone dances?

The September affair, at the Myrtle Beach Convention Center, lacked several elements of a successful dance. Enthus-

iasm, for one, was all but nonexistent. The crowd hovered at the bar--on the opposite end of a vast auditorium from the band--the entire evening. Barely a dozen people danced the first few hours.

Except for this deadpan reaction, the dance wasn't too bad. The band, a North Carolina group called Steps, was outstanding and there was enough beer and wine for all. Save for the lifeless response to perfectly good music the other students seemed to enjoy themselves.

Library Changes - Improves Services

Returning students will notice several changes in Kimbel Library. The Library now houses records, cassette tapes, filmstrips, and other audio-visual materials in its Media Collection on the second floor. These materials were formerly kept in the Learning Resources Center in the Academic Building.

The Library has modified its "noise" policy to allow group study on the first floor. However, no group study or other talking is permitted on the second floor (except in the Media Collection room), in order to provide an area for quiet study.

Some materials on the first floor have also been rearranged. The newspapers are now kept in the first floor smoking room. Telephone books and browsing books have been moved in front of the reference books.

Students can now get their ID cards validated at the Library circulation counter. Students should bring their ID card and a current tuition fee receipt. As always, validated ID cards must be shown each time students wish to check out

library materials.

Library Hours this Semester are:

Mon.-Thurs.	8 am - 9 pm
Friday	8 am - 5 pm
Saturday	12 pm - 4 pm
Sunday	2 pm - 9 pm

Media Collection hours are the same, except on Friday when it closes at 4:30 pm.

Library staff members are happy to explain the use of the Library to students. Stop by the Information Desk or Reference Office and ask one of the reference librarians when you need assistance. Guides and handbooks are also available in the Library to explain effective library use.

There are photocopy machines for student use in the Library and in the Media Center (building next to the gym). Copies are 5c each. The Library also has two electric typewriters for student use. Students should bring their own supplies.

The Library staff welcomes Coastal students back to campus and encourages library use.

Student Health Referral Service

Beginning this fall semester, students who become ill or are in need of medical attention should be sent to the Athletic Training Room, Room 121, Williams-Brice Building, phone extension 299.

Office hours: Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 12:30 pm, 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm.

The Athletic Trainer will check and refer the student to the appropriate medical or than the local emergency service team.

Students should also be advised of the close proximity of the Conway Hospital where outpatient services are available. Similar services are also located at Grand Strand Hospital in Myrtle Beach.

Conway Hospital
300 Singleton Ridge

Phone: 347-7111

Grand Strand General Hospital
809 82nd Parkway
Phone: 449-4411

In an emergency or life threatening situation, waste no time calling: Ambulance Service at 248-9812.

If possible, in an emergency, have someone also call the Athletic Trainer, Ext. 299. He may be able to reach the scene of the emergency more quickly than the local emergency service team. He can provide first aid until the ambulance arrives.

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First Days as a Freshman

by KAREN NANKÉ
Special to The Chanticleer

The first days for a freshman are very difficult. Getting registered, finding classes, and locating parking areas are a few problems.

Arriving at the campus for orientation, the freshman first needs to find the student center. After asking directions, he locates the building and finds some very helpful volunteers. The volunteers give the freshman a tour of the campus and then send him to an advisor. The advisor helps him to pick out classes and to run his schedule through the computer. He is now registered and waiting for the first day of classes.

The freshman arrives on campus a month later and forgets the names of the buildings. He finds it hard to locate the building and the class in the ten minutes between classes. It is embarrassing for the freshman to have to ask another student which building is which. When he locates the class, he still is not sure if it is the right one. He sees no-one familiar to ask, but finally the teacher writes the

information on the board. He looks at the computer schedule and still is not sure if it is right. He sits and hopes that this is the right class.

Another problem the freshman runs into is where to park. He remembers from orientation that certain places are for professors only and his car will be towed if he parks in one of those spaces. He arrives at 9 am and drives around looking for an empty space. He finally follows a road into the woods and finds a place. He looks at his watch and realizes he is late. He runs down the nearest path and loses all sense of direction by coming in the back way. Soon, his classes are over for the day and the time comes for the task of locating his car. He walks towards the woods and then up and down the rows until he recognizes it. Full of relief, the weary freshman drives home.

The freshman runs into many problems his first few days of school. When he learns what is going on, classes become much easier and he can begin to enjoy college life.

"Far better it is to dare mighty things, to win glorious triumphs, even though checkered by failure, than to take rank with those poor souls who neither enjoy much nor suffer much, because they live in the grey twilight that knows not victory nor defeat."

Theodore Roosevelt

Campus Notes

Wednesday, October 12

Alpha Phi Omega Pledge Meeting
Sigma Phi Epsilon Meeting
Academic Affairs Meeting

1:30 SC 107
1:30 SC 201
1:30 SC 101

Thursday, October 13

Marketing and Publications Conference

1:30 EMS Conference

Friday, October 14

Tops and Blues
Rebels and Redcoats

7:00 WA
9:00 WA

Monday, October 17

SGA Meeting
Fellowship of Christian Athletes

1:30 SC 204
6:00 WB

Tuesday, October 18

Alpha Phi Omega

1:30 SC

Elections

SGA fall elections for Class Presidents and Representatives are to be held on October 18 and 19. If you are interested in running for office, applications can be picked up in Room 206 in the Student Center. The last day to apply is October 13 at 12:00 pm.



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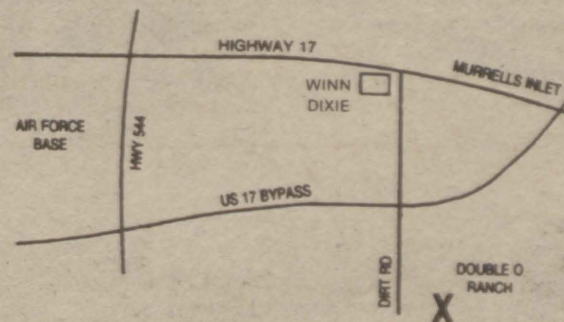
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Spencer Returns to Coastal as Volleyball Coach

After eight years and a switch in sports, Gayle Spencer is back at Coastal Carolina College, this time as head volleyball coach.

Spencer, who has been at Providence Day School for the past eight years serving as the chairman of the Physical Education department, returns to the Conway campus where she once was the coordinator of student activities and women's tennis coach.

Spencer replaces Violet Meade, who is chairman of the physical education department at Coastal.

Spencer will be working with a young team, six of them never having played on the college level before, but she remains

optimistic. "Having so many young players on the team means it will be a learning season. I have been impressed with their enthusiasm and dedication," Spencer said.

Spencer says her goals are to build the team into a top rank serving squad as well as playing "Awesome Backcourt defense."

Coastal Carolina College Volleyball Schedule 1983

Thurs., Oct. 13	Pembroke, N.C.	Winston-Salem/Coastal Carolina	7:00
		Pembroke/Coastal Carolina	8:00
Mon., Oct. 17	Hartsville, S.C.	Coastal Carolina/Ersine-Tri-Match	6:00
		Coastal Carolina/Coker	
Fri., Oct. 21	Home	Coastal Carolina Invitational	9:00 A.M.
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Wed., Oct. 26	Columbia, S.C.	Furman College, Columbia College	6:30
Thurs., Oct. 27	Newberry, S.C.	Presbyterian/Newberry	6:00
Sat., Oct. 29	Home	Newberry/Baptist	11:00 A.M.
Mon., Oct. 31	Laurinburg, N.C.	UNC Greensboro/St. Andrews	7:00
Nov. 6		NAIA District 6 Playoffs	
Nov. 7		NAIA District 6 Playoffs	

COACH: Gayle Spencer
Manager: Connie Metts
Static: Martha Parrotta

Tennis Scene at Coastal

by TERESA RICHARDSON
Sports Editor

Coastal Carolina's Men's Tennis Team is off and winning as the fall season begins. The team began the year with four of last year's top six players back, having lost two players to graduation. Coastal's four players returning are Rob Benneyworth, Tommy Goldman, Walter Koch, and Richard Hughes. After winning 15 matches last season and losing only 5 matches, they have set out to improve on that record. They came in third in the District last year and were ranked 16th in the Nation during regular season.

New players who are playing in the top six are Mark Gibbins and Luiz Penna. Mark is a freshman from Australia. Coach Parker notes that Mark has a good strong serve and solid ground strokes and volley. Luis played #1 for Coastal in 1979 when Coastal won the District and went on to play in the Nationals at Kansas City. He left Coastal at that time and has returned for his senior year. Coach Parker states that "Luiz is a fine player who will be a big asset to the team in singles and doubles."

Other players for Coastal are Sujit Fernando, Andy Morse, Mike Hoffman, Cam Crawford, Norm White, Jody Hyden

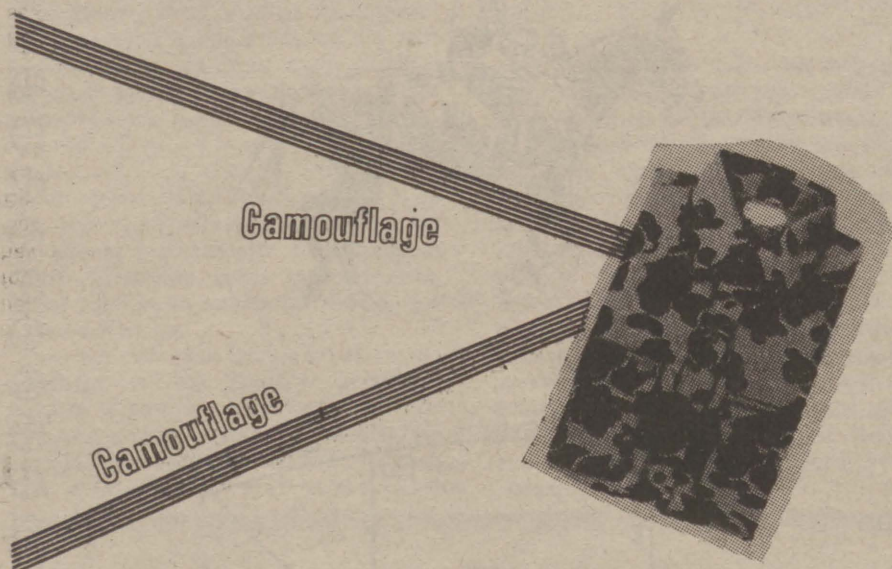
and Kevin Connolly.

Coastal began its fall season with a tournament at UNC-Wilmington. At this tournament Coastal beat each of the other three teams there which, by the way, are three NCAA Division schools. Coastal defeated East Carolina University 7-5, UNC Wilmington 10-2, and Campbell 9-3. In that tournament Rob Benneyworth, Tommy Goldman, and Richard Hughes were undefeated in singles play.

The next tournament for the Chant Netters will be a NAIA District VI fall Tournament at Francis Marion College on October 14, 15, and 16. Coach Parker stated that "we are really looking forward to that tournament, so we can get an idea of the competition in the district for this year."

Dr. Marshall Parker begins his seventh year as tennis coach. He has never had a losing season even with playing teams like Carolina, Clemson, Furman and the Citadel. Parker's overall record now stands at 90 wins and 39 losses. In three of his last six years he has taken players to the National NAIA playoffs to represent the district. Parker's teams have been ranked in the top twenty in the Nation in four of the last six years.

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